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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Robert Jason Herr, et al.)
For : Compounds, Methods and Formulations for)
the Oral Delivery of a Glucagon-Like Peptide)
(GLP)-1 Compound or a Melanocortin-4)
Receptor (MC4) Agonist Peptide)
Docket No. : X-16292)

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Introductory Comments

This application is being filed to prosecute subject matter corresponding to compounds, methods and formulations for the oral delivery of a glucagon-like peptide (GLP)-1 compound or a melanocortin-4 receptor (MC4) agonist peptide. This subject matter also was the subject of the International Search Report for PCT/US2004/024386. Please amend the accompanying application as follows: